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Title: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR GATHERING, INDEXING, AND SUPPLYING  
PUBLICLY AVAILABLE DATA CHARTS**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

This paper is in response to a Restriction Requirement in an Office Action for the above-identified application mailed on February 28, 2005. Claims 1-25 are pending and claims 1-10 are defined as Group I, and claims 11-24 are defined as Group II. The Examiner is silent as to claim 25, so Applicants invite clarification. Applicants elect Group I without traverse. The Examiner is invited to call Applicant's undersigned representative if a telephone conference will expedite the prosecution of this application.

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